

## WEEKLY BARGAINS

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### FOR RENT—ROOMS

**FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping room.** Inquire at Record office. 33-1-x

**FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms,** 748 Massachusetts boulevard, family without large children preferred. 33-1-c

**FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room,** 420 Gratiot. 33-1-c

**FOR RENT—Rooms for gentlemen.** Modern in all ways. 507 W. Superior st. 32-1-c

### FOR RENT—HOUSES

**FOR RENT—House at 217 West End street** after March 1, 1920. Inquire of Lee Raycraft, phone 75-3R, Ithaca, Mich. 33-1-c

**FOR RENT—8-room house on Grove avenue,** furnace and gas and cow pasture furnished. Call 322 Court street, Wm. Klatt. 33-1-c

### FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

**FOR SALE—All modern, seven-room house,** nearly new. Hardwood finish. Extra toilet and lavatory. Lot 65x160. Garage, good location. Phone 422. 32-2-c

**FOR SALE—Cheap, small payment down,** 6-room house on Rockingham. John Sullivan. 33-1-c

**FOR SALE—10-room house, all modern,** on Pine street, reasonable terms. 7-room house on Gratiot, all modern, also good desirable lots in Oak Grove addition near Republic school. Write or call on F. L. Barnes, Suydam building. 33-1-c

**FOR SALE—Seven room house, furnace, hardwood floors, sun parlor,** near college, 519 W. Superior. Call 6-84. 32-4-c

**FOR SALE—Three beautiful building lots, one and one-half blocks west of State st. on Elwell st. Side walk, and all modern utilities right at the curb. For prices write or telephone S. E. Francis, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. 30-1-c**

### FOR SALE—FARM PROPERTY

**FOR SALE—Forty acre farm, well tiled, good buildings, with or without tools.** Write or see R. L. Witter, Breckenridge, Mich. 32-2-p

### FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE—One good Holstein cow, fresh, with calf by side.** Inquire of Delbert Conley, 2 miles south of Alma, Phone 91-1L-38. 33-1-p

**FOR SALE—A Shaeffer piano** Mahogany case, splendid condition, reasonable price. Phone 84-1L-38, leaving town. 33-1-c

**FOR SALE or EXCHANGE—Grocery store, residence and stock;** bargain to right party; ready worked up business. If interested call and see me. 1216 E. Superior St. 11-1-c

**FOR SALE—7 bushels of potatoes** at \$2.50 per bushel, also hard coal base burner, nearly new. \$25.00. Inquire at 512 Pine Ave. 32-2-p

**NOTICE—Poultry for breeding purposes.** We have a limited number of large well-bred Barred Rock and Rhode Island Red cockerels. This stock was ordered for breeding purposes and will be sold at cost. Call or telephone your order as stock must be sold at once. Swift & Company. 33-2-c

**FOR SALE—Three new milk cows.** Inquire of Bert Kittridge, one and one-half miles south and one half miles west of St. Louis. 33-1-p

**FOR SALE—Used cars, one 1918 Ford Touring car in fine condition with winter top, bumpers, storage battery and generator and other extras. One 1916 Ford Touring car in good shape, new winter top and other extras. One 1916 Chevrolet 490 Touring car in good shape. Electric starter and lights, good tires. If you want a good buy in a used car come in and look them over at Chevrolet Garage, next to Arcadia hotel. 33-1-c**

**FOR SALE—A quantity of furniture** at 814 Gratiot avenue. 33-2-p

**FOR SALE—Two fresh Jersey cows,** one with calf by side. Inquire 306 North Court St., telephone 460, 3 rings. 33-2-p

### HELP WANTED

**WANTED—Good dish washer** at the European Cafe. 33-1-c

**WANTED—A good reliable girl** for housework. Inquire at Scattergood's store. 33-1-c

**WANTED—Salesmen to solicit orders** for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 33-1-p

**WANTED—Young man, one with** store experience preferred, good wages, at 5 and 10 cent store. 33-1-c

**NOTICE—We have an opening for a** salesman, one experienced in selling pianos and talking machines, preferred, but will consider one having other selling experience. Prefer married man, with a family. Must have good appearance, and be a live, wide awake man. Cable Piano Co., Saginaw, Mich. 33-1-c

### LOST AND FOUND

**LOST—Willow saw for sulkey on** Wright or Elwell. Please return to Alma State Savings bank. 33-1-c

### WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

### NOTICES, ETC.

**NOTICE—We are prepared to do** light or heavy team work. Prompt service guaranteed. Alma Ice Co., phone 510, 203 Park st. 33-1-c

**NOTICE—HAVE YOUR RADIATOR** REPAIRED AT THE ALMA RADIATOR SHOP AT WRIGHT'S GARAGE. EARL CARMAN, PROP. 2214  
**NOTICE—Furniture upholstering and** repairing and refinishing. Second hand furniture bought and sold. Chas. Corwin, 233 Mill street, St. Louis. 31-4-p

**NOTICE—Call 538-2R. I will re-** build your furnace or will make the necessary repairs to get it through the season and sell you a new one later, or will make any changes in the circulation of your heating plant to make it more efficient. R. E. Downer. 32-1-c

**NOTICE—I can save you a third on** best stock phonograph. Also sell Emerson records, only records that play on any phonograph without attachments. J. Charles Kipp, Wheeler, Mich. 33-1-p

### Reading the Bible.

A college professor, famous as a critic of literature, tells how he read the Bible when he was a boy. His mother not only insisted that he should read the Bible, but also that he should be able to tell her something about each book. This looked serious, but the future professor of literature lit upon a plan to assist his memory. After he had read each book, he illustrated it and, after he had drawn the pictures, he found that he remembered without much difficulty.

### Laid Color on Thickly.

There were periods when even men roared. In the eighteenth century little attempt was made to imitate nature's coloring. The ladies "laid it on thick" in round red spots, and seemed to apply it, as they did patches, to obtain a supposed decorative effect, and to stimulate the blood of nature. The red and white they used, unlike the modern cosmetics, were actually poisonous, and there is record of more than one lady of quality who died from the effects of white lead.

### Paul Verlaine.

Passion, wisdom, creative genius, the power of mystery or color, it has been wisely said, are allotted in the hour of birth and can be neither assimilated nor learned. For good and evil—for he was a mixture of evil and good—Verlaine possessed all these qualities. Verlaine is always faithful to himself, to the two sides of himself and he has thus succeeded in rendering as no one ever has before, the whole human duplex, the eternal conflict of humanity.—Arthur Symonds.

### There for a Good Time.

While entertaining our club one evening our hostess felt it her duty to ask a member to sing. Realizing what we would have to endure, and without stopping to think, I suddenly exclaimed, "Oh, we came here to have a good time; let's play cards." The painful silence which followed, together with the look which the would-be singer gave me, made me truly experience the most embarrassing moment of my life.—Exchange.

### Deserved the Cookies.

Our neighbor's small son was well bred and he never asked for things to eat at our house. The other day he came into the kitchen just as I had spread the last of a batch of cookies on the table. The sight of so many and their delicious smell almost overcame his manners, for he said, "Cookies are one thing that have never disagreed with me yet." He got the two largest in the batch.—Chicago Tribune.

### Place for Small Fruit.

In gardens where the available land is limited in extent, currants and gooseberries may well be planted among the tree fruits and left there permanently. The shade of the trees protect the fruits from sun scald, and the foliage is usually healthier in such locations than when grown where it is freely exposed to the sun.—Agricultural Department.

### Experience.

It seems to me it is the same with love and happiness as with sorrow—the more we know of it the better we can feel what other people's lives are or might be, and so we shall only be more tender to them and wishful to help them.—George Eliot.

### Lighthouse That Fell.

There have been three or four Eddy stone lighthouses. Henry Winstanley built one that was criticized by engineers as being unsafe. "It will stand the storm," he replied, "and I hope I may be in it when the first and worst gale sweeps down the coast." On the night of the first fierce equinoctial tempest the bulider and some workmen went into the lighthouse. Next morning when the people along the shore looked for the lighthouse it was gone. The awful storm had swept everything away and the men had perished.—Boston Post.

### New Fish Story.

A convalescing Indian fisherman in a Rangoon hospital was fishing along the foreshore recently when he caught a small fish. His basket being a short distance away, he put the head of the fish in his mouth, and closed his teeth on it, while he was recalling his hook. The fish slipped into his throat and struggling to escape, got stuck there. The fisherman was hurried into the hospital, where an incision was made and the fish removed just in time to save the patient from choking to death.

### No Thunderbolts.

A "thunderbolt" was lately said to have fallen at Cardiff, in Wales. As a matter of fact, there is no such thing as a thunderbolt, but two persons often give rise to a belief in something of the sort. When lightning strikes the ground it sometimes bores a hole of considerable depth and vitrifies any sandy substance in the soil. Generally, however, what pass as thunderbolts are aerolites, meteoric fragments which come from the skies, but have nothing to do with thunder.

### The Honor Code.

Those of us who would have our days glide by peacefully should not expect too much at the hands of others. This is a strenuous age—indeed, almost every minute of every hour is all too crowded for the average person. There is but one honor code to go by—play fair. The girl or woman who does so will have absolutely no regrets, and will prove a real inspiration to others around her.—New York Evening Telegram.

### Unlike Mayflower Pilgrims.

In 1731, on the 27th of September, a gang of 130 felons were taken from Newgate prison and put aboard ship to be transported to America to colonize the country. Later in the century England changed the destination of her transported criminals to Botany Bay and favored America with shiploads of despicable people just discharged from the poorhouses.

### Excuse Recalled.

Robert had finished the evening meal and had politely asked to be excused. As he started to play his mother began serving those still at the table with watermelon. Realizing he had left too soon, Robert ran to his place and as he climbed up in his chair said: "I'd forgotten the watermelon, so excuse me back."

### Woman's Sphere in Japan.

"Most servants in Japan can only cook a little rice in plain hot water," says a Tokyo lawyer. "They know nothing about fixing all the good things that go with the rice. That is why the women of Japan are too busy to get lonely or to need clubs."—Adelaide Lyons in World Outlook.

### More Words to Use.

Students of the English language attribute to aerial navigation the addition of 200 new words. As the average American has had in the past a speaking vocabulary of only 650 of the more than 600,000 words in the English language, the increase brought about by the airplane and airship is regarded as remarkable.

### LEGAL NOTICES

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Ithaca, in said County, on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. J. Lee Potts, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elias Van Leuven, deceased.

Earl E. Rillley, grandson, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 15th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

A true copy, Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Judge of Probate.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Register of Probate.

1-15 to 2-5

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery.**

Lillian Thornton, Plaintiff, vs. Arial Thornton, Defendant.

At a session of said court, held at the Court House, in the Village of Ithaca, in said County, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1920.

Present, the Hon. Edward J. Moinet, Circuit Judge.

In this cause, it appearing by affidavits on file that the defendant Arial Thornton, was formerly a resident of this State, and that a Chancery summons to appear and answer has been duly issued in this cause but could not be served, because he could not be found within the State, and it further appearing from said affidavits now on file that it cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry the place of residence of Arial Thornton, defendant or in what State or Territory he resides.

On motion of Charles H. Goggin, attorney for said plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendant, Arial Thornton, be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order; and that in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon the plaintiff within fifteen days after service on him or his attorney of a copy of said bill, and in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant, Arial Thornton.

And it is further ordered that the said plaintiff cause this order to be published in The Alma Record, a newspaper, printed, published and circulated in said county and that such publication be commenced within 20 days from the date of this order, and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendant, Arial Thornton, at least 20 days before the time prescribed for his appearance.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned: B. L. CASE, Clerk.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery.

Edgar M. Wood, plaintiff, vs. Alice M. Wattell and her unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery, at Ithaca, in said county, on the 15th day of December, 1919. Edward J. Moinet, Circuit Judge, at Chambers.

In this cause, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, after reading the plaintiff's verified bill of complaint, filed therein, that the same is filed under and pursuant to the terms, conditions and requirements of Sections 29 to 27 inclusive, Chapter XII of the Judicature Act of 1915, as amended, and that it involves the title to the lands described as follows:

Commencing 5 rods and 7½ feet South and 11½ rods east of the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section thirty-four, township twelve north, range three west, Michigan; and running thence south 240 feet; thence east 5 rods; thence north 240 feet; thence west 5 rods to place of beginning.

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the names, whereabouts, residences or addresses of the persons who are included as unknown defendants in this cause cannot be ascertained, and according to the best information to be had the said Alice M. Wattell is deceased, now therefore, on motion of James G. Kress, attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order, and that within forty days said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in The Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Gratiot, once in each week for six weeks in succession, and that in case of the appearance of any one or more of said defendants, that they cause their answer to plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof served upon plaintiff's attorney within fifteen days after a copy of plaintiff's said bill of complaint is served on such defendant.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned: B. L. CASE, Clerk.

**TAKE NOTICE—That the above suit** involves the title to the land described as follows:

Commencing 5 rods and 7½ feet south and 11½ rods east of the NW cor. of the NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 34, Town 12 North, Range 3 West, Michigan, running thence south 240 feet; thence east 5 rods; thence north 240 feet; thence west 5 rods to place of beginning.

JAMES G. KRESS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address: Alma, Michigan. (12-25 to 2-5)

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery.**

Daniel Goggin, Josephine Goggin, John C. Anderson and Emily Anderson, Plaintiffs vs. Mason D. Southworth, Jr., Parrott Watts, N. P. Watts, James W. Watts, Nicholas P. Watts, Lewis W. Annis, George B. Tiffany, James B. Southworth, Henry O. Southworth, and John Rayner, or the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of each and every one of them, Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court, for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery, at Ithaca, in said County on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1920, in this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the Plaintiff's verified bill of complaint that said bill is filed under and pursuant to the terms, conditions and requirements of Sections 29 to 27, inclusive, Chapter XII, of the Judicature Act of 1915, and that it involves the title to the lands described as follows:

West one-half, of the Northeast one-quarter, of the Northwest one-quarter, of Section six, township eleven North, range three West, Michigan; the Southwest one-quarter, of the Southeast one-quarter, and the South one-half, of the Northwest one-quarter, of the Southeast one-quarter; and the East fractional one-half, of the Southwest fractional one-quarter; all on Section thirty-one, Township twelve North, range three West, Michigan. All that part of the West one-half of the Southwest one-quarter, of Section thirty-one, in township twelve North, of range three West, Michigan, bounded by a line commencing at the point where the West township line of the township of Pine River intersects with the South line of the right of way of the Detroit, Lansing and Northern Railway, (now the Pere Marquette Railway), thence South thirty-four rods, East to the line separating the East one-half of the Southwest one-quarter, from the West one-half, of the Southwest one-quarter of said Section thirty-one, thence North thirty-four rods, to the said right of way, thence West to the point of beginning; containing seventeen acres of land more or less.

And it further appears to the satisfaction of the Court, that the addresses, residences or whereabouts of all the defendants above named are unknown and cannot be ascertained, and that after diligent search and inquiry it is impossible to ascertain the names, addresses, residences or whereabouts of persons who are included as defendants in this cause, without being named; now, therefore, on motion of Charles H. Goggin, and Ralph L. Goggin, attorneys for the said plaintiffs, it is ordered that said named and unnamed defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order, and that within 20 days said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in The Alma Record, a newspaper, printed and circulated in said county; once in each week for six weeks in succession, and also cause a copy thereof to be mailed to said defendants at their last known Post Office address by registered mail.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned: B. L. CASE, Clerk of the Court.

**TAKE NOTICE—That the above suit** involves the title to the land described as follows:

The West one-half, of the Northeast one-quarter, of the Northwest one-quarter, of Section six, township eleven North, range three West, Michigan; the Southwest one-quarter, of the Southeast one-quarter, and the South one-half, of the Northwest one-quarter, of the Southeast one-quarter; and the East fractional one-half, of the Southwest fractional one-quarter; all on Section thirty-one, Township twelve North, range three West, Michigan. All that part of the West one-half of the Southwest one-quarter, of Section thirty-one, in township twelve North, of range three West, Michigan, bounded by a line commencing at the point where the West township line of the township of Pine River intersects with the South line of the right of way of the Detroit, Lansing and Northern Railway, (now the Pere Marquette Railway), thence South thirty-four rods, East to the line separating the East one-half of the Southwest one-quarter, from the West one-half, of the Southwest one-quarter of said Section thirty-one, thence North thirty-four rods, to the said right of way, thence West to the point of beginning; containing seventeen acres of land more or less.

CHARLES H. GOGGIN, RALPH L. GOGGIN, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Business Address: Alma, Michigan. (32-1-c)

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery.**

William C. Wixson and Benjamin L. Walker, Plaintiffs, vs. George W. Bullock, Perce Walker, Isaac Gee and David Jayne, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and Burton I. Gee, Zua Gee Wilbur and Orpha Gee, Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery, at Ithaca, in said county, on the 15th day of January, 1920.

Edward J. Moinet, Circuit Judge, At Chambers.

In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, after reading the plaintiff's verified bill of complaint, filed therein, that the same is filed under and pursuant to the terms, conditions and requirements of Sections 29 to 27 inclusive, Chapter XII of the Judicature Act of 1915, as amended, and that it involves the title to the lands described as follows:

The southwest quarter of the north-east quarter of section nine, township eleven north, range four west, Michigan.

And it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the names, whereabouts, residences or addresses of the persons who are included as unknown defendants in this cause cannot be ascertained, and according to the best information to be had the said George W. Bullock, Perce Walker, Isaac Gee and David Jayne, are deceased, now, therefore, on motion of James G. Kress, attorney for the said plaintiffs, it is ordered that said defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order, and that within forty days said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in The Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Gratiot, once in each week for six weeks in succession, and that in case of the appearance of any one or more of said defendants, that they cause their answer to plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon plaintiff's attorney within fifteen days after a copy of plaintiff's bill of complaint is served on such defendant.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned: B. L. CASE, Clerk.

**TAKE NOTICE—That the above suit** involves title to the land described as follows: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section nine, township eleven north, range four west, Michigan.

JAMES G. KRESS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address, Alma, Michigan

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8	6	50 "	2.90	.20	" .15
9	7	50 "	3.40	.25	" .20
10	8	50 "	3.85	.30	" .23
12	10	50 "	4.75	.40	" .30
13	11	50 "	4.95	.50	" .37
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